



## Reading Russian Orthodox Death/Burial Records

"How to" Guide, Intermediate Level: Activity

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1. What was the gender of the deceased person? How do you know?	
2. What was the date of death?	
3. What was the date of burial?	
4. What was deceased person's name?	
5. Where was the deceased person from?	
6. How old was the person when they died?	
7. What was the cause of death?	

  
МЕТРИЧЕСКОЙ КНИГѢ НА 1897Ѣ

СЧѢТЪ УМЕРШИХЪ.		Мѣсяцъ и день		Званіе, имя, отчество и фамилія умершаго.	Лѣта умершаго.	
Мужска.	Женска.	смерти.	погребенія.		Мужска.	Женска.
?	"	16.	18.	Деревни Шахматовой крестьянинъ Григорій Моисеевъ Шахматовъ. Священникъ Алексій Александровскій. Псаломщикъ Василій Здобовъ.	90.	"

  
ГОДА, ЧАСТЬ ТРЕТІЯ, Ѡ УМЕРШИХЪ.


Ѣ чѣмъ умеръ.	Кто исповѣдывалъ и пріобщалъ.	Кто совершалъ погребеніе, и гдѣ погребенъ.
отъ старости.	Священникъ Алексій Александровскій.	Священникъ Алексій Александровскій съ псаломщ. В. Здобовымъ. Мн. протоиерейскій

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 ЖЕВЕРЧЕВСКОЙ КНИГѢ НА 1885					
СЧЕТЪ УМЕРШИХЪ.		МѢСЯЦЪ И ДЕНЬ		ЗВАНІЕ, ИМЯ, ОТЧЕСТВО И ФАМИЛІА УМЕРШАГО.	ЛѢТА УМЕРШАГО.
Мужск.	Женск.	СМЕРТЬ.	ПОГРЕБЕНІА.		
—	21.	21	23.	Свободы Юановскі крестьянина <i>Модисъ Владиміровичъ</i> сынъ <i>Павла</i> догдъ <i>Анастасіи</i> <i>полтора</i> года <i>Хорошеи</i> <i>Совершено</i> <i>Свѣдѣнны</i> <i>Василъ</i> <i>Ремисъ</i> .	1/2

 Г О Д А , Ч А С Т Ъ Т Р Е Т Ъ Я , О У М Е Р Ш И Х .					
КТО УМЕРЪ.		КТО ИСПОВѢДЫВАЛЪ И ПРОВІЦІАЛЪ.		КТО СОВЕРШАЛЪ ПОГРЕБЕНІЕ, И ГДѢ ПОГРЕБЕНЪ.	
Мужск.	Женск.	Мужск.	Женск.	Мужск.	Женск.
<i>Утонувшій.</i>				<i>Свѣдѣнны</i> <i>Василій</i> <i>Петровский</i> <i>отъ</i> <i>Данко</i>	

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МЕТРИЧЕСКОЙ КНИГИ НА 1872									
Счетъ умершихъ.		Мѣсяцъ и день		Званіе, имя, отчество и фамилія умершаго.		Лѣта умершаго.		Отъ чего умеръ.	
Мужска.	Женск.	Смерть.	Погребеніе.			Мужска.	Женск.		
"	1.	1.	3.	Сели Стасова у арестованнаго Мн. Павла Данила Данила чуда Евфиміа		"	2.	отъ хол.	
1	"	1	3.	Дервни Владиміровичъ у арестованнаго Аиста Александровича Пестрѣ		6.	"	отъ хол.	
"	2.	1	3.	Дервни Николая, арестованнаго Петра Николаевича Николаевича Петрова		"	25.	отъ хол.	

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Click [here](#) to check your work against the Answer Key. Remember, this will let you know you've mastered the Guide!